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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR

ADJUSTING A POWER CONSUMPTION LEVEL BASED ON THE AMOUNT OF TIME A PROCESSOR CLOCK IS

STOPPED (AS AMENDED)

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REDUCING POWER CONSUMPTION IN A COMPUTER SYSTEM USING

VIRTUAL DEVICE DRIVERS (PREVIOUS TITLE)

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## SUBMISSION OF REISSUE DECLARATION

Sir:

Enclosed is a reissue declaration for the above-referenced patent application.

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duction Act of 1995, no persons are required to reapond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. Docket Number (Optional) (RETSTREAPPLICATION DECLARATION BY THE INVENTOR, page 2) P2319RC All errors corrected in this reissue application arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant. As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith. Registration Number Name(s) ERXX M. METEGER <u>53.32e</u> Correspondence Address: Direct all communications about the application to: Place Customer Number Bar Customer Number Code Label here Type Customer Number here Firm or Individual Name Address Address CA Zip 40025 City Country 8300 408 721 Fax Telephone I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on Information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine and imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this declaration is directed. Full name of sole or first Inventor (given name, family name) SURES H Date Inventor's signature Citizenship Residence Mailing Address LEGERER CIRCLE Full name of second joint inventor (given name, family name) Date Inventor's signature Citizenship Residence Mailing Address Full name of third joint inventor (given name, family name) Inventor's signature Date Citizenship Residence Mailing Address Additional joint inventors are named on separately numbered sheets attached heroto.

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